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Presented for filing is a new **Continuation** patent application under 37 CFR § 1.53(b) of:

Applicants: **Fred H. Gage and Jasodhara Ray**

Title: **METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF NEUROBLASTS**

The prior application is assigned of record to **THE REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA**, by virtue of an assignment submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office for recording on January 10, 1994, at Reel 6967, Frame 0696.

Enclosed are the following papers, including all those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR § 1.53(b):

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Specification	51
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Enclosures:

- Preliminary Amendment (4 pages);
- Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
Form PTO-892 (filed in parent application) (1 page);
- Request for Transfer of Computer Readable Form (2 pages);
- Sequence Listing (2 pages); and
- Return Receipt Postcard.

This application is a **continuation** of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/915,229 filed July 24, 2001, now issued as U.S. patent 6,599,695; which is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/884,427 filed June 27, 1997, now issued as U.S. patent 6,265,175; which is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/445,075 filed May 19, 1995, now abandoned; which is a divisional of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/147,843 filed November 3, 1993, now issued as U.S. patent 5,766,948; which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/001,543 filed January 6, 1993, now abandoned. The disclosure of each of the prior applications is considered part of and is incorporated by reference in the disclosure of this application.

Preliminarily, on page 1 of the specification, please replace the first paragraph regarding priority with the following:

--This application is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 09/915,229 filed July 24, 2001, now issued as U.S. patent 6,599,695; which is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/884,427 filed June 27, 1997, now issued as U.S. patent 6,265,175; which is a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/445,075 filed May 19, 1995, now abandoned; which is a divisional of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/147,843 filed November 3, 1993, now issued as U.S. patent 5,766,948; which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/001,543 filed January 6, 1993, now abandoned. The disclosure of each of the prior applications is considered part of and is incorporated by reference in the disclosure of this application.--

Applicants claim **LARGE ENTITY** status in the above-identified application.

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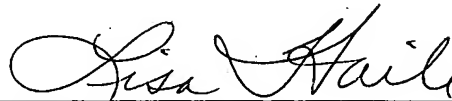
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